

AUG 21 2003

Sheet 1 of 2

Form PTO-1449
(REV. 8-83)US Dept. of Commerce
PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICEATTY DOCKET NO.
040864.04APPLICATION NO.
10/042,730

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

(Use several sheets if necessary)

APPLICANT(S)
Dennis N. STAMIREs et al.FILING DATE
March 15, 2002GROUP
1754

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB CLASS
CMN	4,952,382	08/1990	VAN BROEKHOVEN		
	5,079,203	01/1992	PINNAVAIA et al.		
	5,114,898	05/1992	PINNAVAIA et al.		
	5,399,537	03/1995	BHATTACHARYYA et al.		
	5,439,861	08/1995	BHATTACHARYYA et al.		
	5,507,980	04/1996	KELKAR et al.		
	5,514,316	05/1996	KOSUGI et al.		
	5,578,286	11/1996	MARTIN et al.		
	5,591,418	01/1997	BHATTACHARYYA et al.		
	5,064,804	11/1991	SOO et al.		
	5,474,602	12/1995	BROWN et al.		
	5,247,103	09/1993	KING et al.		
	5,104,987	04/1992	KING		
	5,202,496	04/1993	SCHULTZ et al.		
	5,214,142	05/1993	KING		
	5,260,495	11/1993	FORKNER		
	5,472,677	12/1995	FARRIS et al.		
CMN	5,939,353	08/1999	BHATTACHARYYA et al.		

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUB CLASS
DE 19511016 A1	09/1996	GERMANY		

EXAMINER

Cam Nguyen

DATE CONSIDERED

11/18/03

Examiner: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with M.P.E.P. 609; draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Date: August 21, 2003

Form PTO-1449 (REV. 8-83)		US Dept. of Commerce PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE		ATTY DOCKET NO. 040864.04	APPLICATION NO. 10/042,730
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (Use several sheets if necessary)				APPLICANT(S) Dennis N. STAMIREs et al.	
				FILING DATE March 15, 2002	GROUP 1754
OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)					
CAN		Cavani et al., <u>Hydrotalcite-type Anionic Clays: Preparation, Properties and Applications</u> , Catalysis Today, 11 (1991), pp. 173-301.			
CAN		De Roy et al., <u>Anionic Clays: Trends in Pillary Chemistry, Synthesis of Microporous Materials</u> , 1992, 2, pp. 108-169.			
CAN		Helv. Chim. Acta, 25 106-137 and 555-569 (1942).			
CAN		F.G. Buttler et al., <u>Studies on 4CaO-Al₂O₃-13H₂O and the Related Natural Mineral Hydrocalumite</u> , J. Am. Ceram. Soc., 42, No. 3 (1959), pp. 121-126.			
CAN		S. Miyata et al., <u>Synthesis of New Hydrotalcite-like Compounds and Their Physico-Chemical Properties</u> , Chemistry Letters (Japan), 1973, pp. 843-848.			
CAN		S. Miyata, <u>The Syntheses of Hydrotalcite-like Compounds and Their Structures and Physico-Chemical Properties - I: The Systems Mg²⁺Al³⁺NO₃, Mg-Al³⁺Cl, Mg²⁺-Al³⁺ClO₄, Ni²⁺Al³⁺Cl and Zn²⁺-Al³⁺-Cl</u> , Clays and Clay Minerals, 23, 1975, pp. 369-375.			
CAN		S. Miyata, <u>Physico-Chemical Properties of Synthetic Hydrotalcites in Relation to Composition</u> , Clays and Clay Minerals, 28, No. 1, 1980, pp. 50-56.			
CAN		I. Pausch et al., <u>Syntheses of Disordered and Al-Rich Hydrotalcite-like Compounds</u> , Clays and Clay Minerals, 34, No. 5, 1996 pp. 507-510.			
CAN		Ulibarri et al., <u>Textural Properties of Hydrotalcite-like Compounds [Al₂Li(OH)₆]⁺X_{1/6}^{m-}-nH₂O (X^{m-}=CO₃²⁻, NO₃⁻, Cl⁻)</u> , Materials Chemistry and Physics, 14, 1986, pp. 569-579.			
EXAMINER				DATE CONSIDERED	
Examiner: <i>Cam Nguyen</i>				11/18/03	
Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with M.P.E.P. 609; draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.					

Date: August 21, 2003



Date: March 15, 2002